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WOMAN PUNCHED THE MASHER

VISION IN BLUE ENLIVENS THE SHOW AT HUBER'S.

Moses Followed Her and When the Hall Was Darkened Got Too Friendly -Had to Be Fished From the Floor When the Woman Finished With Him.

The "professor" at Huber's Dime Museum was holding forth on "Nature's greatest eccentricity, the grandest living object lesson ever placed on exhibition, Lionel, the lion-faced boy," on Wednesday when the eyes of Isaac Moses fell on a young nan dressed in blue, who stood in the middle of the crowd. Immediately "Nature's greatest eccentricity" faded from the sight of Mr. Moses. He saw nothing but the vision in blue.

He followed the professor and the crowd from platform to platform; but the professor's vivid praises of Miss Gilbert, the bearded lady, of Miss Lill, the English fat girl, and of Capt. Austin, the midget ceman, fell on unappreciative ears. Moses followed the woman into the museum's theatre to see the "five-act sensational comedy drama, 'Hawkshaw the Detective," and took a seat next to her One of the features of the sensational comedy drama is a ballad of "Home and Mother" sung by a plaintive volced tenor and illustrated by magic lantern

When the theatre was darkened for this Mr. Moses saw his opportunity. He leaned over and whispered some endearing words. The vision was unresponsive. Mr. Moses thought she was shy. He leaned still closer and touched the young woman. The next thing Moses knew he was on the floor, the theatre lights had been turned to and the angleines was in an unrear.

up and the audience was in an uproar.

He tried to get on his feet, but a second blow from the woman in blue sent him to the floor again. There he stayed until Special Officer Abrams stood him on his Special Officer Adrams stood min of his feet and asked what the row was about.

Then he was taken around to the Fifth street police station and locked up for the night. The young woman gave her name and address as Mrs. Mary Collins of 217

West Nineteenth street.

Moses was arraigned before Magistrate
Pool in the Yorkville police court yesterday
morning and held in \$1,000 bail for trial.
When the Magistrate heard the woman's
story he leaned over the desk and said:

"Allow me to shake hands with you,
madam, and congratulate you on your
courage. You gave him what he deserved."

A man who wore a special officer's uniform and said he was Abrams stood at the theatre entrance yesterday and explained what had happened. Was there a row here yesterday? Well,

Was there a row here yesterday? Well, I should say there was, and it was a corker. When the crowd got onto the masher they wanted to lynch him. I had my hands full to keep them away. Why, they made such a racket back in the theatre that the freaks in the curio hall heard it and tried to get in to see what was going on. Miss Lil, the fat girl there, took it on the run, but she was so excited that she forget to go sideways through the doorway and got stuck fast. We had to call three of the stage hands to get her out."

"That Moses thought he was the real article in the masher line. But he got up against the wrong proposition this time. Say, you ought to feel her muscles. In court this morning she bunched them up for us. Why, say, she's nothing but muscle from head to foot. Oh, I tell you it was great!"

RING WISHED ON OR STOLEN Woman Causes the Arrest of One of the Smith Family for Theft.

Harry F. Smith, a dapper young man ho gave his address as 435 West Twenty ourth street and said he was interested in the theatrical business, was arraigned in the West Side court yesterday charged with the larceny of a diamond ring valued at \$125. Ruth Hilden of 44 West Sixty-fourth street made the complaint.

The woman said that Smith stole the ring on Oct. 27. "I would have prosecuted him then." she added, "but I hoped that he would be gentleman enough to return the ring. But he failed to call after that day."
"I didn't steal the ring," said Smith.
'This girl wished it on my finger."
"Wished! Wished what?" exclaimed the

"I don't know, you didn't tell me," an wered Smith.

The complainant said that the ring was taken from her dresser while she was

"I asked him to take it off," she said,
"but he laughed and said: 'Don't, honey,
it's hard luck to take it off.' I tried to get
it from him, but couldn't."
Smith was held in \$1,000 for trial.

ANDERSON DOESN'T WANT CASH.

He Says That He and Capt. Abeel Ther

UTICA, Dec. 8 .- William C. Anderson, the father of Eleanor Anderson of New York, who was said to have been tricked into a marriage engagement by James Neilson Abeel, left Rome to-day for his home in New York. Mr. Anderson said that he does not want any of Capt. Abeel's money, that the two thoroughly understand each other, and that if the real culprits who were behind young Abeel can be brought to the bar of justice the Captain will assist him in prose-cuting them to the fullest extent of the law for the purpose of vindicating the son and the good name of the Abeel family.



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MADMAN TRIES TO KILL WIFE

CUTS HIS OWN THROAT WHILE POLICE ARE AT THE DOOR.

Sileman Dies in the Hospital Where His Wife Is in a Critical Condition-He'd Brooded Over the Loss of His Job -Family Feared He Was Going Mad.

Frederick Sileman, 40 years old, a wheelwright who lost his job at the Brewster carriage factory about two weeks ago and brooded over his misfortune until he became insane, cut his wife's throat vesterday and then killed himself with a kitchen knife. The couple lived at 70 West 108th street. The woman was taken to the J. Hood Wright Hospital, where she is in a critical con-

Sileman and his wife, Augusta, with heir two children, Estelle, 11 years old, and Louise, who is two years younger, lived on the third floor flat. Since the husband however, by the fire escape and found Silelost his job the wife supported the family man in the kitchen still hadding at his throat with a knife. He fought off the policeman, by dressmaking. She was able to get along without his help and, so far as is known, there was no domestic trouble.

When Sileman lost his employment, he acted so strangely that his wife, on Wednesday, called in the family physician, Dr. Stegmier of 201 West 166th street. To the physician Sileman said that he feared that his wife and children were going to leave him, and that he feared that someone was trying to poison him. acted so strangely that his wife, on Wednesday, called in the family physician, Dr. Stegmier of 201 West 106th street. To the physician Sileman said that he feared that someone that his wife and children were going to leave him, and that he feared that someone was trying to poison him.

The doctor told Mrs. Sileman that her husband was suffering from acute melancholia, and prescribed medicines. Mrs.

sileman became somewhat alarmed and | NEW WARDEN OF ST. STEPHEN'S. had arranged to meet an uncle, George Of, a picture dealer at 3 East Twenty-eighth treet yesterday afternoon to determine that should be done. While the children were in school yester-

while the children were in school yester day morning the tenants in the building were startled by a series of shrieks from the Silemans' rooms. Some of them found Policeman Palmer of the West 100th street station, and when he reached the house the woman was in the ballway outside of her rooms almost unconscious and bleeding from several jagged wounds in her neck. She said that her husband had wounded

The policeman sent for an ambulance and then tried to get into the rooms, but Sile-man had locked the door. Palmer get in

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Women's in black box

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PARKS WITNESS FARLEY IN JAIL Will Remain in the Tombe Until Sentenced for His Perjury.

William S. Devery's nephew, John J. Byrne, surrendered to the Court of General Sessions yesterday Henry Farley, who committed perjury for Sam Parks. Farley, who confessed some time ago, has been out of town in the custody of a county detective, so that none of Parks's crowd could get at him. He is in the Tombs now and is likely to remain there until centenced. The District Attorney does not intend to ask that sentence be suspended.

The Wanamaker Store.

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Powder Boxes, \$22.50.
Powder Boxes, \$21, \$22.50.
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Mrs. Culver's Lawyers Will Ask That It Be

WHITE PLAINS, N. Y., Dec. 3 .- Referee

Maurice Dillon's report in the suit for

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SAYS SHE KILLED A MAN. Gives Herself Up for Murder of an Italian

MORRISTOWN, N. J., Dec: 3.-An Italian woman, who gave her name as Maria Muriano, surrendered herself this afternoon to the police in connection with the death of Glovanni Muglio of Boonton, which resulted, it is alleged, from a blow upon the forehead inflicted by her. She was taken before a police magistrate and committed to jail on a charge of murder.

The act was committed on Nov. 21, when, Mrs. Muriano says, Muglio went to the apartments of herself and her husband in Boonton and asked to be admitted. They refused and he tried to force entrance.

He broke open a window and was climbing CULVER DIVORCE CASE REPORT. through when Mrs. Muriano caught up an axe and struck him in the head.

She and struck him in the nead.

She save her husband notified the Boonton authorities, but they paid no attention to him. Muglio was found under the window and a doctor, who was called, ordered him to the Paterson Hospital, where he died last Friday.

Not until Policeman Brennan of this city was approached and asked what could be

Not until Policeman Brennan of this city was approached and asked what could be done with a woman who hit a man under such circumstances was the crime made known. He notified County Prosecutor Rathbun, who ordered Coroner Collins to investigate. The Coroner had the body exhumed and has empanelled a jury.

When Mrs. Muriano learned that Muglio's death was being looked into she fled from Boonton and hid in an Italian home in this city until she gave herself up to the police.

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